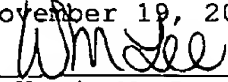


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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of  Paul J. Carter et al.  Serial No.: 09/705,686  Filed: November 2, 2000  For: METHOD FOR MAKING HUMANIZED ANTIBODIES	Group Art Unit: 1642  Examiner: L. Helms   Certificate of Facsimile Transmission Under 37 CFR § 1.8 In accordance with CFR § 1.8(d), this correspondence addressed to The Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231 is being transmitted to facsimile No. (703) 308-4242.  November 19, 2002   Wendy M. Lee
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed 4/19/02, reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks. A Notice of Appeal was mailed 8/19/02. This amendment is accompanied by a request for a 1 month extension of time and is timely filed.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning page 1, line 5, as follows:

This is a continuation of USSN 08/146,206 filed November 17, 1993 (now US Patent No. 6,407,213 issued June 18, 2002) which is a 371 of PCT/US92/05126 filed June 15, 1992 which is a CIP of 07/715,272 filed June 14, 1991 (abandoned), the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 10 as follows.

10. (Twice Amended) A humanized antibody variable domain comprising non-human CDR amino acid residues which bind an antigen incorporated into a human antibody